



CITY OF FAIRFAX

10455 Armstrong Street, Room 207A

Fairfax, VA 22030

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TREE REMOVAL PERMIT APPLICATION

FEES: Individual Residential Lot \$10.00

Residential Development Project \$100.00 / Other \$50.00 (Commercial)

Account # 316464

Tax Map No.: _____

Pentamation case #: _____

Permit No: _____

City of Fairfax Code Section 110-252(a) Permit Required:

"No person shall remove or destroy any tree which is five (5) inches or greater in caliper, measured six (6) inches above ground level, on any lot larger than one-half (1/2) acre without first obtaining a tree removal permit from the Zoning Administrator in accordance with the procedures set forth in this division. Further, no person shall remove or destroy any such tree located in the common open space of any development without first obtaining a tree removal permit."

Application is hereby made by the undersigned for a permit to remove a tree(s) on the premises known as:

Address where tree(s) to be removed are located: _____

Name of Applicant: _____

Address of Applicant: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Person or Firm Removing Tree(s): _____

The following information is provided on the tree(s) to be removed:

Number of Trees: _____

Location of Tree(s): _____

Size of Tree(s): _____

Species: _____

Reason for Removal: _____

I, _____ hereby accept full responsibility for damage caused by the
(Print Name)

removal of any tree(s) covered by this p e r m i t: _____

(Signature)

I, _____ owner/owner's agent agree to this application for
Tree Removal Permit. (Print Name)

(Signature)

(Phone Number)

(Date)

(Address)



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A Tree Management Plan must be submitted for any land development activity and for any tree removal project as requested by the Zoning Administrator.

VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES

City of Fairfax Code Section 110-9(c)(1):

Any person, whether owner, lessee, principal, agent, employee or otherwise who commits, permits, assists in or attempts any violation of the following provisions, whether by act or omission, shall be punishable by a civil penalty of \$200.00 for the initial violation and \$500.00 for each additional violation of the same Code section.

City of Fairfax Code Section 110-253 (Acts harmful to trees):

(a) No person shall abuse, mutilate or otherwise damage any tree located on public property, or any tree protected by section 110-253, including those located in the public right-of-way along street frontages within subdivisions. However, nothing in this division shall be construed to prevent reasonable and proper trimming of trees located on public property by authorized persons in accordance with accepted horticultural practices.

(b) No person shall attach any sign, notice, placard, electrical wire or other injurious device to any tree, nor shall any person cause any substance harmful to trees to come in contact with them, or prevent water and oxygen from reaching their roots.

(c) No person shall cover the ground with impervious material any closer to the trunk of a tree than its dripline. This provision may be waived by the zoning administrator if he determines that the proposed action will not harm the tree.

REMOVAL OF VEGETATION IN RPA COULD RESULT IN ADDITIONAL PENALTIES AND FINES

City of Fairfax Code Section 110-84(b)(2) (Development and redevelopment in Chesapeake Bay preservation areas):

Indigenous vegetation shall be preserved to the maximum extent practicable consistent with the use and development proposed and in accordance with the "Virginia Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook."

a. Existing trees shall be preserved outside the limits of disturbance; however, diseased trees or trees weakened by age, storm, fire or other injury may be removed.

b. Clearing and grading shall be limited outside the defined limits of disturbance. Clearing shall be allowed only to provide public roads, necessary access, positive site drainage, water quality BMPs, and the installation of utilities, as approved by the zoning administrator.

c. Prior to clearing or grading, suitable protective barriers, such as safety fencing, shall be erected at the drip line of any tree or stand of trees to be preserved. These protective barriers shall remain so erected throughout all phases of construction. The storage of equipment, materials, debris, or fill shall not be permitted within the area protected by the barrier.

BAR APPROVAL

Proposal meets design criteria of section 110-958 per section 110-1075: Circle one YES NO

Approved by: _____ Date: _____
(BAR Liaison)

Application Approved by: _____ Date: _____
Zoning Administrator)

Fee Paid: _____ Receipt No. _____ Date: _____